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## **News Advisory**

### **New Program Helps Uninsured Participate In Their Employer's Health Plan**

*Health officials and legislators kick-off the awareness campaign for  
Utah's Premium Partnership for Health Insurance (UPP)*

- What:** The Utah Department of Health (UDOH) will unveil a program designed to help make health insurance more affordable for uninsured working individuals and families. This program will help pay the monthly insurance premiums when adults and children enroll in an employer's health plan.
- Why:** There are approximately 292,800 uninsured individuals in Utah. Many of them do not enroll in health insurance because the insurance premiums are too high. The UDOH's new program is part of the solution.
- Who:** Dr. David N. Sundwall, Executive Director, Utah Department of Health  
Representative Kory Holdaway  
Representative Jim Dunnigan  
President of Utah Association of Health Underwriters  
Individuals who may benefit from new program
- When:** **Monday, October 30, 2006**  
**9:00 a.m.**
- Where:** **Utah State Capitol**  
**Lobby, West Office Building**  
*Public parking available on east side of complex.*

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